IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

GREGORY COOPER	§	
	§	
Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
vs.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. H-04-3363
	§	
APACHE CORPORATION	§	
	§	
Defendant	§	

JOINT MOTION TO DISMISS WITH PREJUDICE

All parties to this case now file this Agreed Motion to Dismiss With Prejudice. In support, they state as follows:

- 1. A settlement has been reached in this case.
- 2. Therefore, the parties respectfully request, in accordance with Rule 41(a)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, that the Court administratively dismiss this case. Such dismissal shall be with prejudice, with each party bearing its own attorney's fees and costs.
 - 3. All parties are in agreement with this motion and request that the Court grant it.
 - 4. A proposed Order is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that on this the 15th day of August 2005, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was duly served upon all counsel of record and parties entitled to notice *via Facsimile and United States First Class Mail* and addressed to the following:

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	ORDER	
Defendant	§	
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	§	
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	§	
GREGORY COOPER	§	

The Court has considered the parties' Joint Motion to Dismiss With Prejudice. The Motion is GRANTED. It is therefore

ORDERED this case is dismissed, with prejudice, with each party bearing its own attorney's fees and costs.

It is so ORDERED on this day of August 2005.

Hon. Lee H. Rosenthal, U.S. District Judge